M.A. (English) (Choice Based) Regular-Semester 2016 Semester - I

MAENCBCS101 - CC-1

English Poetry from Chaucer to Milton (A)

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Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 80 1. Annotate **any two** out of four of the following passages: 8 a) She was so charitable and so pitous she wolde wepe, if that she saugha mous kaught in a trappe, if it were deed or bledde. ii) Blood was hir face, and fair and reed of hewe, she was a worthy womman al hir lyve, Housbondes at chirche dove she hadde fyve, withoutern oother company in youthe But ther-of nedeth nat to speke as nouthe. iii) I have seen roses de masked, red and white But no such roses see I in here cheeks And in some perfumes is there move delight, than in the breath that from my mistress reeks. "Vain man" said she, that dost in vain assay, a mortal thing so to immortalize; For I iv) myself shall like to this decay, And eke my name be wiped out likewise. Answer any two of the following questions. b) 8 Write a short note on realism in the poem "The Flea". ii) What do you mean by Metaphysical poetry. iii) Write a short note on the character of 'Satan' from Paradise Lost Book – I. iv) Write a note on Milton's Hell, in Paradise Lost Book – I. 2. Answer any one of the following. **16** "Chaucer's group of pilgrims constitute a picture of the society of times" Discuss. a) Bring out the humorous elements in the general prologue? b) Answer any one of the following. **3.** 16 Write a note on Sir Philip Sidney's Philosophy of Love and Beauty in Astrophil and Stella. Write a note on 'the merits' of Shakespeare's Sonnet – with special reference of his b) sonnets prescribed? Answer any one of the following. **16** 4. Write a note on the treatment of love in Donne's poetry. b) Write a note on immortality of true love as described in the poem 'The Anniversarie'? 5. Answer any one of the following. 16 Write an essay on Milton's style in Book – I, Paradise Lost? Bring out the heroic qualities of Milton's 'Satan' from Book – I. b)

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